

## **HURRICANE HARVEY CHRONOLOGY**

### **4 SEPTEMBER 2017**

#### **TDD No.: Pending—Hurricane Harvey, Field Activities**

On-going field activities are being performed at three branches and in Austin, TX as described below:

##### **Corpus Christi (Alpha Branch)**

- Contacts – OSC Nic Brescia, START team leader Erik Hadwin.
- Activity Summary – START continues to provide support to the following activities – RNA, SitRep/IAP, and response manager IT data management of reconnaissance data.

The following summarizes activity during this reporting period:

- FIELD: 9 personnel
- REOC: 0 personnel
- HOME OFFICE SUPPORT: There is additional support (Planning, Logistics, Finance) as necessary for tasked activities.

##### **Houston West Branch (Bravo Branch)**

- Contacts – OSC Bill Rhotenberry, START team leader Jose Ojeda
- Activity Summary - Today START continued to provide support to the following activities – RNA support, SitRep/IAP, and response manager IT data management of reconnaissance data. The roving air monitoring team expanded activities into the southeast area of Houston. Tuesday the EPA TAGA (Trace Atmospheric Gas Analyzer) vehicle is expected to integrate into the roving activity

OSC Rhotenberry is considering mobilization of 5 additional START to support orphan container recovery activity, which is planned to begin late this week.

START staffing summary during this reporting period:

- FIELD: 10 personnel
- REOC: 0 personnel
- HOME OFFICE SUPPORT: There is additional support (Planning, Logistics, Finance) as necessary for tasked activities.

##### **Port Arthur (Charlie Branch)**

- Contacts – OSC Paige Delgado, START team leader Ben Latham
- Activity Summary – Tasked to begin mobilization plans for site operations to begin Tuesday, 5 September 2017. Anticipated tasks include RNA support, SitRep/IAP, and response manager IT data management of reconnaissance data.

START staffing summary during this reporting period:

- FIELD: 2 personnel.
- REOC: 0 personnel
- HOME OFFICE SUPPORT: There is additional support (Planning, Logistics, Finance) as necessary for tasked activities.

#### NDOW Support Austin, TX

- Contact – START team leader Kenneth Westerman
- Activity Summary – NDOW support is being provided at the TCEQ office and state EOC both in Austin, TX.

START staffing summary during this reporting period:

- FIELD: 2 personnel.
- REOC: 0 personnel
- HOME OFFICE SUPPORT: There is additional support (Planning, Logistics, Finance) as necessary for tasked activities

#### Hurricane Harvey, Field Activities Finances

- TDD funding: Pending
- Daily: \$51,000
- Incurred-to-Date: \$196,000

#### **TDD No.: Pending—Hurricane Harvey, REOC Support**

- Contacts – OSC Althea Foster, START team leader David Crow
- Activity Summary – START is providing the following – support to the Planning Section, including REOC situation unit data compilation, NDOW data management, drafting of QASPs, and compilation of data for SitRep/IAPs.
- START staffing summary during this reporting period:
  - FIELD: 0 personnel
  - REOC: 8 personnel, estimated 12-hour days.
  - HOME OFFICE SUPPORT: There is additional support (Planning, Logistics, Finance) as necessary to support tasked activities. Also, additional NDOW support is occurring from home office locations.

#### Hurricane Harvey, REOC Support Finances

- TDD funding: Pending
- Daily: \$19,000
- Incurred-to-Date: \$110,000

#### **TDD No.: Pending—Arkema chemical facility explosion ER**

- Contacts – Tasking OSC: Althea Foster, Response OSC: Roberto Bernier, START team leader Toryus Brantley
- Activity Summary – START continues to provide air monitoring and data management support to incident command. START was tasked to maintain a small team to perform air monitoring in the site vicinity due to smoldering conditions of chemical products. At this time OSC Foster continues to evaluate assignment of a separate TDD for this ER or incorporation into the overall Hurricane Harvey response TDDs.
- START staffing summary during this reporting period:
  - FIELD: 1 personnel, estimated 12-hour days.
  - REOC: 0 personnel
  - HOME OFFICE SUPPORT: There is additional support (Planning, Logistics, Finance) as necessary to support tasked activities. Also, additional NDOW support is occurring from home office locations.

#### Arkema chemical facility explosion ER Finances

- TDD funding: Pending
- Daily: \$3,000
- Incurred-to-Date: \$55,000